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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ELAB, IN
SUBJECT: DOCK STRIKE OFF

REF: NEW DELHI 9779

THE ALL INDIA PORT STRIKE SCHEDULED FOR MIDNIGHT JULY 14
HAS BEEN AVERTED FOLLOWING NEGOTIATIONS IN NEW DELHI BETWEEN
THE FOUR MAJOR UNIONS AND THE LABOR MINISTER. AT THIS POINT
WE ARE UNABLE TO QUANTIFY THE EXTENT OF THE GOI'S CONCESSIONS
IN FAVOR OF THE DOCKERS, ALTHOUGH THEY APPEAR SUBSTANTIAL.
ENTHUSIASM FOR A STRIKE VARIED AMONG THE UNIONS INVOLVED AND
AMONG THE WORKERS IN THE DIFFERENT PORTS THROUGHOUT THE COUN-
TRY. ALTHOUGH THE PRIMARY ISSUES WERE ECONOMIC (WAGES AND
COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE), INTER-UNION RIVALRIES WERE ALSO
AT PLAY IN THE THREATENED STRIKE. WHILE THE AVOIDANCE OF A
PORT STRIKE IS AN IMPORTANT ACHIEVEMENT FOR ALL CONCERNED,
BOTH LABOR AND GOVERNMENT, DIFFICULT GENERAL QUESTIONS CON-
CERNING WAGE POLICY AND THE INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS SYSTEM RE-
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